

# Santa Rosa County Sheriff's Office

I am finally tired of what's going on - Santa Rosa County Sheriff's Office  
Saturday - Sept (14th) 2013

My son Ray L. Lura is  
in your jail. I heard that  
he was restrained Thursday  
by some of your officers.  
I've tried to call you early  
today morning. He said I  
killed & I said he's & the phone  
went dead. we were cut off  
& I haven't heard from them  
yet. He was trying to tell me  
to come & see him yesterday.  
Now I can't see him until  
next Friday Sept 20th.

My son's head was injured  
by one of your cops July 11th 2013.  
I'd be a victim then & I'm right  
since that day. I am going  
to file charges against that  
Sgt. [Name] (Dept. 9/11/13)  
& against the officer who beat my  
son up & stole \$300.00 from my son

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I better hear from my  
son by this evening  
I am afraid my son  
has been beat (raped)  
I am very concerned  
about his health.



I thank you from my heart  
Mr. Hall. I know that you are honest. I have  
heard great things about you.

Mr. Hall I honestly believe Lt. August (15th) 013  
Vera is under a lot of stress. I'll sorry for him

Mr. Hall,

I truly wish that I didn't have to do this.  
But I was at your headquarters today with  
my son, to sign a Complaint Report  
one of your officers. (Sergeant Vera)  
is the officer. We spoke with about the  
complaint. Well he started trying his best to  
scare me & my son (using scare tactics).  
He was trying his very best to scare me  
down. But he continued to harass my son &  
my son was cooperative. My son answered  
yes sir & no sir to Mr. Vera. My son  
told Mr. Vera that he needed to make a  
complaint against one of the officers & Mr.  
Vera kept asking why. & my son told him  
Well Vera didn't want to hear anything from  
me or my son. But he told my son  
that he needed to get a (attorney) Well he  
finally brought out a (complaint report) for  
my son to fill out. And Lt. Vera told us  
as soon as my son filled out the complaint  
that he would get us a copy. Well he lied, because  
I brought it to his attention that he did  
lie to me. I told him that he was a liar & I told  
the speaker to that way. He was very  
loud with me. And he was in the wrong. I am  
almost 68 I am in poor health, I am a good  
person. When I see that something isn't right I  
speak up, and I will not stop, until I get

P.S. I had copies of  
this statement made.



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my point across. I had to mention getting an attorney as did my son. Mr Hall, there is a lot of corruption in the sheriffs dept, i felt it, there is a lot of bad going on. And it honestly scares me. Vera has eyes - so black & dark, it makes me wonder where did he come from? I have never had even a ticket. I tend to my business But i will tolerate anyone trying to control me. ~~(V)~~ I am a citizen & i have never committed any crimes. I also have a Complaint against officer Philip Smith Jr. for intimidating me when i was trying to explain to him about my Virginia bottle that day June 13. I was very excited & hurting in my chest. I was at fault for slipping my son. Of course he protected his face. It wasnt fair, good & got me & me excited, i dont know if i really wanted to call an ambulance or cops. My son didnt stop me. Smith didnt want to hear anything that i had to say. All he could say was that he didnt want him out he meant that he didnt want my son out of jail. This didnt make any sense to me. he was playing (Ged) I knew then, that i had better watch him. He told my son to turn around & put his hands behind his back & he cuffed my son. Ray is not violent, we have always gotten along well And he is doing very good with his life & job. Smith owes my son money which he stole - \$300.00 in 2003 If i stole \$300.00 i would be in jail?



What to go too far as saying you Smith - he can loose  
his job? Walls is not a fool. This is wrong  
(unjust) to let about a person left alone to try  
and get another <sup>3</sup> cop to let him. Why did  
Smith call for backup - before he cuffed my son? (He  
is dirty) My son was injured. Smith slammed my  
son's head down on the trunk of his car.  
I watched the whole incident. Smith had told  
me earlier before he took my son out to stay inside.  
(My instincts told me not to trust this cop. This dirty  
cop & I was right. He had tried his best to hurt  
my son going down the steps, by pushing my  
son's hands upward. My son lost his  
balance, I thought he would fall down. Mr. Smith  
stopped behind my truck & went through my  
son's pockets. He found all of the money.  
Why didn't he take all of the money?  
which came to \$464.00 & some change \$300.00  
in 20's & \$164.00 & some change in another pocket.  
I don't like to see things like this. But I can't stand  
by & allow it to go on. I got my son out on  
Tues. Jan. 11th 03 Sunday. Paid \$11.00 cash  
to get him out. I had to do this because my  
son is innocent. When Smith & Hall came  
in my house, all Smith could say is that he  
didn't want him out (to Walls). Had he asked  
(Walls) if he would take care of the paper work  
because he needed to leave? He told Walls that  
he didn't want my son out. I was so  
upset & my nerves were shot I had to put  
another Nitro Glycerin pill under my tongue.  
Smith had me so worried & upset that I  
wanted to make him pay for what he did to  
me & my son. But I was afraid to say  
anything. Because I don't know what he would  
do to me. & this man tried to get Walls to let